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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

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EXAMINER: CHIN-SHUE

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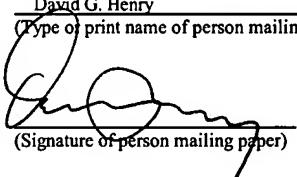
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 11/12/02, please consider the following amendments and remarks made in a good faith attempt to move prosecution of this application forward to a proper allowance of claims.

Please note that any and all fees associated with this response, including any applicable extension fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.136, and any fees for newly present claims, may be charged to the deposit account of the undersigned, Account No. 50-0894. Applicant here requests such extensions under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 as may be necessary to render this response timely.

AMENDMENTS

In the Claims:

Please amend Claim 1 as follows:

1. (Amended) 1. (Amended) A combination bathtub protection and temporary scaffold system comprising:

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